

Amendment to
RFP #0634-202 E2SHB 1290 Procurement
Posted

The areas with changes are highlighted. Strikeout indicates deletion and underline indicates addition of text.

Section 2.4. Pre-Proposal Conference

A conference to address questions about RFP requirements will be held at the time and location indicated below. Prospective Bidders are encouraged to attend; however, attendance is not mandatory. If changes to the RFP Documents are required as a result of the conference, an amendment will be issued and posted at the MHD Procurement website http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/Mentalhealth/RFP_Procurement.shtml.

Date:	March 24, 2006
Time:	9:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.
Location:	Lookout Conference Room Office Building 2 Olympia, Washington

Directions are available on the MHD Procurement website.

Assistance for disabled, blind, or hearing-impaired persons who wish to attend is available with pre-arrangement with DSHS. Contact the RFP Coordinator identified on the face page of this document.

Specific questions concerning this RFP must be submitted to the RFP Coordinator in writing. DSHS will attempt to give preliminary answers at the Pre-proposal Conference to any questions received by 5:00 p.m. March 14, 2006. Additional questions will be entertained at the conference; however, answers will be deferred and provided formally in writing on or **before April 20 45, 2006**.

The answer to any question that is given orally at the conference is tentative and unofficial and should not be relied upon by a Bidder. All questions and final DSHS answers, including any related amendments to the documents will be posted to the http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/Mentalhealth/RFP_Procurement.shtml.

2.5. Questions and Answers

Submit Questions to:	Andrew Kramer, RFP Coordinator Department of Social and Health Services Administrative Services Division, Central Contract Services
----------------------	---

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 45811
Olympia, Washington 98504-5811

Telephone: (360) 664-6073

Fax: (360) 664-6184

Email: rsnprocurement@dshs.wa.gov

Reference: **RFP #0634-202 E2SHB 1290 Procurement**

Physical Address:

4500 10th Avenue SE
Lacey, Washington 98503

No questions will be accepted after 5:00 p.m. on March 24, 2006.
All questions and final DSHS answers, including any amendments to the documents **related to answering Bidder questions** will be posted at:
http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/Mentalhealth/RFP_Procurement.shtml on or before **April 20 15, 2006**. Bidders should only rely on these written answers to questions.

2.2 Procurement Schedule

The Procurement Schedule outlines the tentative schedule for important dates and times. DSHS reserves the right to revise this schedule at any time and will post any amendment to the schedule on the DSHS Procurement website.

Procurement Schedule – all times are Pacific Time

Item	Action	Date
1.	Issue RFP – Available to download from DSHS Procurement website	March 1, 2006
2.	Bidders Letters of intent due	March 24, 2006
3	Pre- Proposal Conference (optional), this will be the last day questions will be accepted.	March 24 , 2006
4.	Written answers to questions will be Issued	April 20 17, 2006
5.	Proposal Submission Due by 3:00 PM	May 31, 2006